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Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of the claims in the application

Claims 314, 443, and 447 have been amended in this paper. No claims have been added or canceled in this paper. Therefore, claims 314-318, 320-321, 324-328, 330, 333, 335-338, 356, 410, and 443-466 are pending and are under active consideration.

Claims 314 and 443 have been amended to remove the phrase “directly and”.
Claim 447 has been amended to correct a typographical error.

No new matter is added.

Claims 1-313 (canceled).

Claim 314 (currently amended): A sheet of printable business cards, comprising:
a paper cardstock sheet;
a continuous liner sheet ~~directly and~~ releasably secured to the paper cardstock sheet with ultraremovable adhesive;
continuous through-cut lines through the paper cardstock sheet but not through the continuous liner sheet; and
the continuous through-cut lines defining at least in part perimeter edges of a printable business card in the paper cardstock sheet;
wherein:
the printable business card has a surface that is coupled to the ultraremovable adhesive, and
the printable business card is configured to be removed from the continuous liner sheet exposing the ultraremovable adhesive on the continuous liner sheet and the non-tacky printable business card's surface.

Claim 315 (previously presented): The sheet of claim 314 wherein the sheet of printable business cards has dimensions of 8½ x 11 inches, 8½ x 14 inches or A4.

Claim 316 (previously presented): The sheet of claim 314 wherein the ultraremovable adhesive is a suspension-polymer ultraremovable adhesive.

Claim 317 (previously presented): The sheet of claim 314 further comprising a primer coat between the ultraremovable adhesive and the continuous liner sheet.

Claim 318 (previously presented): The sheet of claim 317 wherein the primer coat is a polyvinyl alcohol-based primer with silicate.

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Claim 319 (canceled).

Claim 320 (previously presented): The sheet of claim 314 wherein the continuous liner sheet is a primer-coated liner sheet.

Claim 321 (previously presented): The sheet of claim 314 wherein:
the printable business card is a first printable business card;
the continuous through-cut lines define at least in part perimeter edges of a second printable business card in the paper cardstock sheet; and
the first printable business card and the second printable business card abut one another and are separated only by one of the through-cut lines.

Claims 322 and 323 (canceled).

Claim 324 (previously presented): The sheet of claim 314 wherein the continuous through-cut lines include a grid of vertical and horizontal through-cut lines.

Claim 325 (previously presented): The sheet of claim 314 wherein the ultraremovable adhesive is a water-based acrylic suspension polymer adhesive.

Claim 326 (previously presented): The sheet of claim 314 wherein the sheet of printable business cards has a body portion and a thin end which is thinner than the body portion.

Claim 327 (previously presented): The sheet of claim 326 wherein the thin end is a calendered end.

Claim 328 (previously presented): The sheet of claim 326 wherein the thin end is an exposed strip of the continuous liner sheet.

Claim 329 (canceled).

Claim 330 (previously presented): The sheet of claim 314 wherein the sheet of printable business cards is configured to be printed using a non-impact printer.

Claims 331 and 332 (canceled).

Claim 333 (previously presented): The sheet of claim 314 wherein one of the continuous through-cut lines extends an entire width or length of the paper cardstock sheet.

Claim 334 (canceled).

Claim 335 (previously presented): The sheet of claim 314 wherein the continuous through-cut lines include horizontal and vertical through-cut lines, and a topmost one of the horizontal through-cut lines extends an entire width of the paper cardstock sheet.

Claim 336 (previously presented): The sheet of claim 314 wherein the ultraremovable adhesive covers the entirety of the surface of the printable business card.

Claim 337 (previously presented): The sheet of claim 314 wherein the continuous liner sheet comprises a base paper sheet.

Claim 338 (previously presented): The sheet of claim 314 wherein the paper cardstock sheet is a top-coated paper cardstock sheet.

Claims 339-355 (canceled).

Claim 356 (previously presented): The sheet of claim 314 wherein the ultraremovable adhesive provides only partial contact with the paper cardstock sheet and the partial contact prevents the ultraremovable adhesive from becoming permanent over time.

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Claims 357-409 (canceled).

Claim 410 (previously presented): The sheet of claim 314 wherein:

- the paper cardstock sheet has a back side; and
- the continuous liner sheet covers all of the back side of the paper cardstock sheet.

Claims 411-442 (canceled).

Claim 443 (currently amended): A sheet of printable business cards, comprising:

- a cardstock sheet;
 - a continuous liner sheet directly and releasably secured to the cardstock sheet with a layer of ultraremovable adhesive;
 - continuous through-cut lines through the cardstock sheet but not through the continuous liner sheet; and
 - the continuous through-cut lines defining at least in part perimeter edges of a printable business card in the cardstock sheet;
- wherein:
- the printable business card has a surface that is coupled to the ultraremovable adhesive, and
 - the printable business card is configured to be removed from the continuous liner sheet exposing the ultraremovable adhesive on the continuous liner sheet and the non-tacky printable business card's surface.

Claim 444 (previously presented): The sheet of claim 443 wherein the cardstock sheet is paper.

Claim 445 (previously presented): The sheet of claim 443 wherein the cardstock sheet is a magnetic substrate.

Claim 446 (previously presented): The sheet of claim 443 wherein the non-tacky printable business card's surface is configured to accept writing.

Claim 447 (currently amended): The sheet of claim 443 wherein the cardstock sheet includes a layer is selected from the group consisting of a face coat layer and a back coat layer.

Claim 448 (previously presented): The sheet of claim 443 wherein the sheet of printable business cards has dimensions of 8½ x 11 inches, 8½ x 14 inches or A4.

Claim 449 (previously presented): The sheet of claim 443 wherein the ultraremovable adhesive is a suspension-polymer ultraremovable adhesive.

Claim 450 (previously presented): The sheet of claim 443 further comprising a primer coat between the ultraremovable adhesive and the continuous liner sheet.

Claim 451 (previously presented): The sheet of claim 450 wherein the primer coat is a polyvinyl alcohol-based primer with silicate.

Claim 452 (previously presented): The sheet of claim 443 wherein the continuous liner sheet is a primer-coated liner sheet.

Claim 453 (previously presented): The sheet of claim 443 wherein:

- the printable business card is a first printable business card;
- the continuous through-cut lines define at least in part perimeter edges of a second printable business card in the cardstock sheet; and
- the first printable business card and the second printable business card abut one another and are separated only by one of the through-cut lines.

Claim 454 (previously presented): The sheet of claim 443 wherein the continuous through-cut lines include a grid of vertical and horizontal through-cut lines.

Claim 455 (previously presented): The sheet of claim 443 wherein the ultraremovable adhesive is a water-based acrylic suspension polymer adhesive.

Claim 456 (previously presented): The sheet of claim 443 wherein the sheet of printable business cards has a body portion and a thin end which is thinner than the body portion.

Claim 457 (previously presented): The sheet of claim 456 wherein the thin end is a calendered end.

Claim 458 (previously presented): The sheet of claim 456 wherein the thin end is an exposed strip of the continuous liner sheet.

Claim 459 (previously presented): The sheet of claim 443 wherein the sheet of printable business cards is configured to be printed using a non-impact printer.

Claim 460 (previously presented): The sheet of claim 443 wherein one of the continuous through-cut lines extends an entire width or length of the cardstock sheet.

Claim 461 (previously presented): The sheet of claim 443 wherein the continuous through-cut lines include horizontal and vertical through-cut lines, and a topmost one of the horizontal through-cut lines extends an entire width of the cardstock sheet.

Claim 462 (previously presented): The sheet of claim 443 wherein the ultraremovable adhesive covers the entirety of the surface of the printable business card.

Claim 463 (previously presented): The sheet of claim 443 wherein the continuous liner sheet includes a base paper sheet.

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Claim 464 (previously presented): The sheet of claim 443 wherein the cardstock sheet is a top-coated cardstock sheet.

Claim 465 (previously presented): The sheet of claim 443 wherein the ultraremovable adhesive provides only partial contact with the cardstock sheet and the partial contact prevents the ultraremovable adhesive from becoming permanent over time.

Claim 466 (previously presented): The sheet of claim 443 wherein:
the paper cardstock sheet has a back side; and
the continuous liner sheet covers all of the back side of the paper cardstock sheet.